City of Las Vegas

Agenda Item No.: 4.

AGENDA SUMMARY PAGE SPECIAL CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF: JUNE 11, 2007

SUBJECT:

CITIZENS PARTICIPATION: PUBLIC COMMENT DURING THIS PORTION OF THE AGENDA MUST BE LIMITED TO MATTERS WITHIN THE JURISDICTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL. NO SUBJECT MAY BE ACTED UPON BY THE CITY COUNCIL UNLESS THAT SUBJECT IS ON THE AGENDA AND IS SCHEDULED FOR ACTION. IF YOU WISH TO BE HEARD, COME TO THE PODIUM AND GIVE YOUR NAME FOR THE RECORD. THE AMOUNT OF DISCUSSION ON ANY SINGLE SUBJECT, AS WELL AS THE AMOUNT OF TIME ANY SINGLE SPEAKER IS ALLOWED, MAY BE LIMITED

BACKUP DOCUMENTATION:

Submitted at meeting – Written comments by Tom McGowan

Minutes:

BEATRICE TURNER, West Las Vegas, stated she was devastated with the election results. The law has now been broken, and people from her community will be demanding the District Attorney investigate just like the investigation of LYNETTE BOGGS-McDONALD. She expressed her disappointment with others who wish to represent Ward 5 without being a resident. She will never recognize RICKI BARLOW as her Council representative.

AL GALLEGO, Las Vegas resident, described a meeting the previous night where that same issue was discussed. He requested that his neighborhood be immediately redistricted to COUNCILMAN REESE. MR. GALLEGO stated that he had no respect for RICKI BARLOW but commended COUNCILWOMAN WILLIAMS for her time representing Ward 5.

TOM McGOWAN, Las Vegas resident, concurred with the statements regarding COUNCILWOMAN WILLIAMS' excellent representation of Ward 5. He added that he witnessed 25 persons transported for early vote wearing Barlow shirts and commented that this type of election behavior is very common. CITY CLERK BRIDGES advised that voters may wear election shirts while voting but must leave after voting pursuant to Nevada election law. They may not converse with others or linger at the polling places. COUNCILMAN REESE and COUNCILWOMAN TARKANIAN indicated that they understood election workers should change before voting. MR. McGOWAN read into the record additional comments regarding the Las Vegas Grand Prix and the Springs Preserves, a copy of which is made part of the Final Minutes.